Consumer Survey



In an effort to understand the average consumer's habits as it related to pollinators, we ask that you please complete the following survey. Thank you for taking a small amount of time to help us make a large impact.

Name:	Age: Date:
Zip Code:	
<u>Please Circle One</u>	
1) How often do you shop at a commercial grocery store? (i.e. Kroger, Walmart, Meijer, etc.)	6) Do you use chemicals to treat your lawn? YES NO
Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually	6.1) If yes, how often? Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually
2) How often do you buy local produce? (i.e. farmer's market, local grower, Co-Op, etc.)	6.2) If yes, are you aware that some chemicals kill pollinators? YES NO
Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually 2.1) How important do you feel buying local produce is? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)	7) How often do you spend more than 3 hours outdoors? Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually
3) Do you actively seek & buy organic food options? YES NO 4) How often do you purchase honey?	7.1) In the past year, have you hiked, camped or visited a nature preserve? YES NO7.2) In the past year have you volunteered for a conservation organization? YES NO
Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually I Make My Own	8) How important are pollinators to you? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
4.1) Do you actively seek & buy honey from a local source or beekeeper (not from a commercial grocery)?	9) Have you ever considered becoming, have been, or are a beekeeper? YES NO
YES NO SOMETIMES I MAKE MY OWN	10) Are you aware that honey bees are experiencing difficulties in our ecosystem? YES NO
5) Do you have a garden? YES NO	10.1) how would you rate the severity of the bee problems? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
5.1) If yes, what do you grow? Vegetables Flowers Both Other:	11) Are you aware of what neonicotinoids are? YES NO
5.2) Do you actively seek & buy plants that have NOT been treated with chemicals? YES NO 5.3) Do you actively seek & buy native flowers & plants for your garden? YES NO	12) Before today, were you aware that Southwest Honey Co. received a SARE grant for educationa research? YES NO

Program Pre-Survey



In an effort to understand the average consumer's habits and the impact of our educational program over time, we ask that you please complete the following survey. The information we collect helps us make our program the best it can be! The survey process includes a survey before the session, immediately afterwards and a survey mailed to you in about 6 to 8 months. Thank you for taking a small amount of time to help us make a large impact.

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Address:	Zip Code:
Phone #: E-mail:	
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Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually	6.1) If yes, how often? Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually
2) How often do you buy local produce? (i.e. farmer's market, local grower, Co-Op, etc.)	6.2) If yes, are you aware that some chemicals kil pollinators? YES NO
Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually	7) How often do you spend more than 3 hours
2.1) How important do you feel buying local	outdoors?
produce is? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)	Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually
3) Do you actively seek & buy organic food options? YES NO	7.1) In the past year, have you hiked, camped or visited a nature preserve? YES NO
YES NO	7.2) In the past year have you volunteered for a conservation organization? YES NO
4) How often do you purchase honey?	
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1-2 Times Annually I Make My Own	(low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
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research?

5.3) Do you actively seek & buy native flowers &

plants for your garden?

Honey Co. received a SARE grant for educational

NO

YES

Program Post-Survey

the future? Less Often

No Change

More Often



This survey is to be completed after the class is done. We truly appreciate your participation in our program and time spent to complete this survey. Please remember, in 6 to 8 months we will send one more short survey and would appreciate your input as we continue our study.

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1.x) How likely are you to buy in the future:	5) How important are pollinators to you? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
1.1) Local Produce (i.e. farmer's market, local grower, Co-Op, etc.) Less Often No Change More Often	6) Are you planning to take any active steps to help the honey bee population? YES NO If yes, how so? 6.1) Are you considering becoming a beekeeper? YES NO I ALREADY AM
1.2) Commercial Grocery Produce Less Often No Change More Often	
1.3) Organic Produce Less Often No Change More Often	
1.4) Raw Honey (local source or beekeeper) Less Often No Change More Often 2) Do you plan on having a garden in the future? YES NO I ALREADY GARDEN 2.1) If yes / already garden, what would / do you grow? Vegetables Flowers Both Other:	6.2) Would you like to see a pollinator appreciation program in schools or your
	child's classroom? YES NO 7) How did we do today? (poor) 1 2 3 4 5 (fantastic)
	7.1) Did you learn at least one thing you didn't already know? YES NO
2.2) If yes / already garden, would you plan to make any special considerations or expansions for pollinators?	
YES NO I ALREADY DO If yes, how so?	7.2) Do you feel like you have a greater appreciation for pollinators? YES NO
	7.3) Are there any comments about our program
3) Do you plan on ceasing or reducing lawn treatments that are harmful to pollinators in the future? YES NO I DON'T TREAT LAWN	that you would like to share with us?
3.1) Are you considering any alternatives to treat your lawn that don't harm pollinators? YES NO ALREADY USE ALTERNATIVE If yes, how so?	
4) How likely are you to spend more time outdoors in	

Long Range Program Post-Survey

Other:



In an effort to reconnect with our 2016 honey bee education participants, we ask that you please fill out this post program follow-up survey. This survey will help us investigate the potential changes in your consumer habits and your daily living habits that affect honey bees and pollinators. Thank you for taking a small amount of time to help us make a big impact!

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Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually	outdoors? Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually
2.1) How important do you feel buying local produce is? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)	8.1) In the past 8 months, have you hiked, camped or visited a nature preserve?
3) Do you actively seek & buy organic food options? YES NO	YES NO 8.2) In the past 8 months have you volunteered
4) How often do you purchase honey?	for a conservation organization? YES NO
Never Weekly Monthly 1-2 Times Annually I Make My Own	9) How important are pollinators to you?
4.1) Do you actively buy honey from a	(low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
local source or beekeeper (not from a commercial grocery)?	10) Since participating in our program, have you considered becoming a beekeeper?
YES NO SOMETIMES I MAKE MY OWN	YES NO ALREADY A BEEKEEPER
5) Did you have a garden in 2016? YES NO	11) How would you rate the severity of the bee problems? (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
5.1) If yes, what did you grow? Vegetables Flowers Both Other:	12) Are there any follow up comments you would like to share?
5.2) Do you actively seek & buy plants that have NOT been treated with chemicals? YES NO 5.3) Do you actively seek & buy native flowers & plants for your garden? YES NO	
6) Do you plan to have a garden in 2017? YES NO	
6.1) If yes, what do you plan to grow? Vegetables Flowers Both	THANK YOU! PLEASE RETURN ASAP

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